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Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the fourth paragraph on page 8 with the following rewritten paragraph:

-- Referring now to Figs. 1 and 2, an intraocular lens (IOL) according to the present invention, shown generally at 10, includes a single, unitary multifocal lens body 12 having a plurality of optical powers, as described hereinafter. Lens body 12 includes no cylinder correction. Radially extending fixation members or haptics 14 terminate in distal ends 16. As shown in Fig. 1, intraocular lens 10 is inserted in the anterior chamber 18 of eye 20 with the distal ends 16 of fixation members 14 in contact with the angle 22 of the iris 24.--

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

46. (previously added) An intraocular lens for use in a mammalian eye including a natural lens having a natural accommodative capability, the intraocular lens comprising:

a single, unitary multifocal lens body sized and adapted for placement in the mammalian eye, and having a baseline optical power and a plurality of annular regions each having an optical add power;

the plurality of annular regions includes a region having a first optical add power for near vision, the first optical add power having a magnitude so as to provide, in combination with the natural accommodative capability of the natural lens of the eye, enhanced vision, the lens body further having a second optical add power intermediate between the first optical add power and the baseline optical power.

47. (previously added) The intraocular lens of claim 46 which further comprises a fixation member coupled to the lens body and adapted to facilitate fixating the intraocular lens in the eye.

48. (previously added) The intraocular lens of claim 46 wherein each of the plurality of annular regions has a different optical add power.

49. (currently amended) The intraocular lens of claim 48 wherein each of the different optical add powers of the plurality of annular regions of the lens body is reduced relative to the corresponding optical power of [a substantially] an identical